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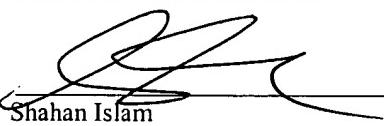
Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts, submitted herewith is executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Please charge \$710 for basic filing fee and \$130 for the late filing of Declaration to Deposit Account No. 50-1920 and any other extension fees which may be required if not already done so.

Respectfully submitted,

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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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***Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
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- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.**

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